

**AMENDMENT TO H.R. 4205, AS REPORTED
OFFERED BY MR. MOAKLEY OF MASSACHUSETTS**

Strike section 908 (page 285, line 6 through page
289, line 8) and insert the following:

1 **SEC. 908. REPEAL OF AUTHORITY FOR UNITED STATES**

2 **ARMY SCHOOL OF THE AMERICAS.**

3 (a) CLOSURE OF SCHOOL OF THE AMERICAS.—The
4 Secretary of the Army shall close the United States Army
5 School of the Americas.

6 (b) REPEAL.—(1) Section 4415 of title 10, United
7 States Code, is repealed.

8 (2) The table of sections at the beginning of chapter
9 407 of such title is amended by striking the item relating
10 to section 4415.

11 (c) LIMITATION ON ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW EDU-
12 CATION AND TRAINING FACILITY.—No training or edu-
13 cation facility may be established in the Department of
14 Defense for Latin American military personnel (as a suc-
15 cessor to the United States Army School of the Americas
16 or otherwise) until the end of the ten-month period begin-
17 ning on the date of the enactment of this Act.

18 (c) TASK FORCE.—(1) There is established a task
19 force to conduct an assessment of the kind of education
20 and training that is appropriate for the Department of

1 Defense to provide to military personnel of Latin Amer-
2 ican nations.

3 (2) The task force shall be composed of eight Mem-
4 bers of Congress, of whom two each shall be designated
5 by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the mi-
6 nority leader of the House of Representatives, the majority
7 leader of the Senate, and the minority leader of the Sen-
8 ate.

9 (3) Not later than six months after the date of the
10 enactment of this Act, the task force shall submit to Con-
11 gress a report on its assessment as specified in paragraph
12 (1). The report shall include—

13 (A) a critical assessment of courses, curriculum
14 and procedures appropriate for such education and
15 training; and

16 (B) an evaluation of the effect of such edu-
17 cation and training on the performance of Latin
18 American military personnel in the areas of human
19 rights and adherence to democratic principles and
20 the rule of law.

21 (4) In this subsection, the term “Member” includes
22 a Delegate to, or Resident Commissioner, in the Congress.